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Mr. Daniel Ellsberg
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Dear Dan:

I am enclosing a copy of two notes from Harding Bancroft and Dan Schwarz of the Times in regard to your report on Vietnam which I sent them at your request. I am sorry that they do not feel they can use it but find encouraging their belief that it ought to be published. I hope you will keep trying.

I look forward to seeing you at the Carnegie meeting on April 11. I have done a paper as a basis for discussion which you should be receiving shortly.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Charlie

Charles W. Yost

The New York Times
Times Square

HARDING F. BANCROFT
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

March 26, 1968

Dear Charlie:

I am enclosing the piece by Daniel Ellsberg, that you sent over the other day, with a little memorandum from our Sunday Editor, Dan Schwarz. I think the Schwarz memorandum speaks for itself. I wish we could have used it and as Dan says, it is a report that certainly ought to be published.

All the best,

Harding

The Honorable Charles Yost
Council on Foreign Relations
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MEMORANDUM FROM SUNDAY DEPARTMENT

March 26, 1968

To: Mr. Harding Bancroft

This piece by Daniel Ellsberg makes excellent reading but it isn't suitable for us because it all happened too long ago, and the situation now in Vietnam is entirely different. I certainly think that Ellsberg's report ought to be published somewhere, but it isn't right for a newsmagazine like ours.

Dan

Dan Schwarz

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